

GAZETTE NEWS.

The firm of J. Graaf & Co. will be changed somewhat on January 1st.

J. W. Barney is very seriously ill with typhoid pneumonia, caused by exposure.

A proposition is on foot to hold races on the track at Albuquerque during Christmas and New Years.

Heise & Strauss yesterday received a car load, about one hundred barrels, of genuine Kentucky whiskey, direct from the blue-grass State.

Yesterday being the first of the month the irrefragable lute collector wended his way from place to place, gathering in his monthly allowance.

The new business card of Payne & Bartlett, the jewelers, is a very neat one, like their store, which is the handsomest and best stocked in the Territory.

The regular weekly meeting of the Knights of Honor was held last evening in Odd Fellows hall. It was a very enthusiastic and successful one, surpassing in interest the preceding meetings.

The GAZETTE job office, which is one of the best in the Territory, presided over by competent and skilled workmen is constantly receiving large orders for work from all parts of the Territory.

A. Heye, with Heise & Strauss, the liquor merchants, is the luckiest man in the city. He yesterday received an official letter from Berlin, Germany, stating that he was entitled to \$10,000 as heir to his father's estate.

W. J. Colvin, the breeder of the famous Merino rams at Larned, Kansas, has arrived with a bunch of rams which he has on exhibition and for sale at the Exchange corral. Buyers will find this a good opportunity to get good stock.

The bid for the construction of N. B. Stonerod's new dwelling were: Tom Jones, \$4,700; Taylor & Fowler, \$3,488; W. G. Ward, \$3,700; Hiner Bros. & Co., \$4,383.95; Frank Ogden, \$4,100. The contract was awarded to Taylor & Fowler.

Tom Quillian, a man charged with the murder of the deputy sheriff of Clay county, Texas, was arrested yesterday in Santa Fe by Officer Franklin and Sheriff Pat Garrett and brought over to Las Vegas and placed in the county jail.

A Mr. Gallegos, of Upper Las Vegas, had his leg broken in two places yesterday, caused by the horse on which he was riding fast, stumbling and falling, throwing him to the ground. He was attended by Doctors Henriques and Severson.

At the last meeting of Chapman Lodge No. 2, A. F. & A. M., the date of regular meeting was changed from the first Wednesday on or before the full of the moon to the third Thursday of each month. The regular meeting and election of officers will take place on the 15th inst.

A number of prominent citizens have been mentioned for the vacant Senatorship. Among others are Don Lorenzo Lopez, Severo Baca, Frank Manzanares, Dick Dunn, C. E. Wesche, Charles Blasehard and W. M. Whitelaw. There is considerable good timber in this crowd.

Miss Cora McCoy, the step daughter of J. J. Gaine of the popular Delmonico Restaurant, left yesterday for Murfreesboro, Tenn., where she goes to finish her studies in music and painting. She was tendered a very pleasant farewell party, at the residence of Mrs. Moore, on Wednesday evening, at which all who attended spent a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Andres Guana, living on the road to Upper Las Vegas, east of the river, was accidentally shot in the thumb and thigh yesterday morning, by the discharge of a pistol which the children had pulled down off a shelf. Drs. Skiff with and Tipton attended her, and although the wound is quite serious, do not consider it necessarily fatal.

Dr. C. C. Gordon yesterday received a lengthy letter from Gillie Otero stating that he expected to be able to return to Las Vegas by the middle or latter part of December. He is able to walk around and has taken carriage rides every day since Thanksgiving. We are glad to chronicle this continued improvement and his many Las Vegas friends are anxious to see him back.

Dr. DeGraw left yesterday, with Magnus Tait, of Topeka, Kansas, for the Sweepstakes mining camp. They will take out a ton of ore from claims in the Sweepstakes camp and ship it to Pueblo for reduction. If satisfactory results are reached, Mr. Tait, who represents an eastern company, will erect a smelter in that camp in the spring. We hope the ore will prove valuable enough to warrant the putting up of a smelter there.

Arnold's Crookedness.

N. C. Arnold, who has for the past two months been employed by T. F. Chapman as manager of the St. Nicholas hotel, was yesterday relieved of that position, and a few minutes before train time snatched up his satchel and took the train for the South. It had been noticed for some time that Arnold's accounts were not right, but it was not proved conclusively until yesterday morning. Mrs. Chapman was informed of the fact, and she requested that Mr. Arnold should step down and out. It has not been ascertained how much of the hotel's money he got away with, but it amounts to a considerable sum. It is said that he had a deposit with the bank, and drew out the whole of it, \$190, Mr. Ed. Corbly, formerly of the St. James Hotel of Cincinnati, takes his place, and will probably conduct the hotel in a better manner.

Legislators.

Politicians are casting around for a proper candidate for Territorial Senator in place of Manuel Barcia, deceased. We do not know whether there will be party nominations or not, but presume so. The session of this winter will be of unusual importance owing to the increase in population and rapid growth and development of the industries of the Territory. Railroads are penetrating the Territory from all directions and important legislation may be expected in reference to these corporations, determining their rights, regulating freight and passenger tariffs, etc., besides the numerous subjects relating to water rights, land claims, Territorial finances, etc. The exigency of the hour demands level headed broad brained legislators, incorruptible and undefiled. We have reached a point in civilization when the substantial business men must take an active part in politics and hold their representatives directly responsible for legislation. Otherwise most unjust, unwise and ruinous measures are liable to become laws. The business interests of the Territory have assumed an importance that demands wise and liberal encouragement and which may suffer immeasurably through ignorant and venal legislation. It is time to come to the front with the best men, and attention to Territorial politics is the important duty of all. Men must be chosen who have ability and integrity and the party which puts such men forward will win in the long run. It has been often a custom of parties in this Territory to consider the Legislature of secondary importance, an honor bestowed upon individuals, not for their ability and fitness for the position, but to secure their local influence and help the party to win. The county offices have been hitherto the important ones and legislative honors were used simply as a peace maker in the party and to bolster up the county nominations. In years past some of the most villainous ignoramus in the world have obtained nominations to the Legislature by their ability to control votes in particular precincts. It made no difference. There was but little legislation of importance required and men of brains enough to do business were better off at home looking after their affairs while the empty honor of a seat in the Legislature was a satisfaction to those who had a desire for public office. This order is now reversed. The Territory has taken an immense stride ahead. The Legislature comes to the front as of overshadowing importance. County offices take second rank. In the plastic condition of our vast railroad, mining and educational interests laws must be made permanent in their nature and beneficial and just to all classes and all interests. A seat in the Legislature will be more than an empty honor hereafter; it will be an important trust which the business men of the Territory must see properly executed. Let parties put their best men out for these positions.

Got It Rich.

A private letter from Bloomfield, N. M., bearing date of the 22nd proximo, says: To-day the whole country is staking placer claims. There is no doubt as to the certainty of the discovery. Two rich mining companies, one French, under the Count De Mayolle, the other American, under Colonel Draper and J. A. Tyler, son of ex-President Tyler, have staked off the richest placer mines ever known to have existed, and while doing so have left hundreds of acres for others. The boys have not been idle in taking advantage to stake out claims. To-day a mining district was formed called the San Juan Valley Mining District. President, Colonel Draper; Recorder, S. M. Haines. The discovery seems to be simply that the entire surface of the earth is composed here of gold, platinum and tin. No process has as yet been known that would separate these minerals, but a French chemist has found it, and now comes the development. The companies propose to have 100 ton reduction works completed by the first of May, 1882, on the banks of the San Juan River, on land secured for the purpose, close to the well-known store of Messrs. Haines & Hughes. The universal opinion in our little town tonight is that we have got it, and got it rich.—Pueblo News.

Extremely Sensational.

The wife of Mr. Webb Allen, a prominent druggist of Silver Cliff, and a young adventurer named Charles Beck, eloped from their home at the Cliff this morning, and arrived at Pueblo yesterday. Mrs. Allen has been married some eight years, and had a young son six years of age, which she deserted. She is about twenty-four years of age, while Beck, whom she has eloped with, is but twenty-eight years of age. Some two weeks ago, while Mr. Allen was absent in the East, Beck made his home at the house of Mrs. Allen, and upon the return of Mr. Allen on Saturday last he was surprised to learn that his wife was living with young Beck, who is described as a handsome young blonde. The couple left there on the afternoon train for the East. Allen will immediately commence proceedings for a divorce.—Trinidad Times.

RAILWAY REVIEW.

James M. Taylor, of the Marietta & Cincinnati railway offices at Chillicothe, Ohio, stopped off in Vegas yesterday.

Ed. Gilbert, the brakeman who was injured by being thrown from the freight train Wednesday, is able to be about.

Mr. E. B. Taylor has bought the hotel formerly run by Kim Ki Rogers at San Marcial and will make it a first class stopping place for the traveling public.

PERSONAL.

L. Wood, Chicago, is a St. Nicholas guest.

Mrs. T. B. Mills was seriously ill yesterday.

Charles Lifeld took the train for the north yesterday.

J. T. Noble, from Kansas City, is registered at the St. Nicholas.

Mr. Crawford, postmaster at Watrous, came down to the city yesterday.

H. D. Reinker came in from Pinkerton yesterday and put up at the Sumner.

Dr. J. W. Drake, of Lamar, Mo., was among the arrivals yesterday. He will likely locate.

N. E. Stevens, representing the Leavenworth Times, made us a short call yesterday.

T. A. Johnson, Lamy, and E. W. Jefferson, Waterloo, Iowa, are stopping at the Sumner House.

Mrs. L. P. Browne left yesterday for her home in Kansas City, after a short visit in the city.

Chas. J. Rifenberg, Los Angeles, California, came in yesterday and dined at the Sumner.

S. T. McKnight and wife arrived yesterday from Hannibal, Missouri, and put up at the Depot Hotel.

Rev. M. H. Murphy, superintendent of the Baptist mission of New Mexico, went up to Raton yesterday.

C. H. Broe and wife and Dr. J. W. Drake, Lamar, Mo., arrived yesterday and are stopping at the Depot Hotel.

Trinidad Romero left yesterday for St. Louis. He was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Florentina, whom he will leave there to attend school.

Gen. McKenzie, commander of the military district of New Mexico, passed through on the Pacific express yesterday on his return from an extended Eastern trip.

Captain D. D. Mitchell, of the Fifteenth infantry, Fort Cummings, who has been at the Hot Springs for over a week, left yesterday for Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

E. Kirkpatrick, Jr., who has had charge of Gross, Blackwell & Co.'s wool department, left yesterday for Jacksonville, Florida. He will travel through the state for his health during the winter, and probably return to Vegas next year.

C. R. Browning and wife, nee Miss Emma Quisenberry, arrived yesterday from Missouri, and were warmly greeted by many friends. Mr. B. is much improved in health and will engage vigorously in business again. A young son of Mr. Browning, by his first wife, also came with them.

Our Exchanges.

The New Mexican has a good and competent Las Vegas correspondent. The Albuquerque Journal is one of the best our exchanges. It has improved greatly.

The Socorro Daily News has enlarged to five columns and is jam full of paying advertisements and news reading matter. This is an improvement which we are glad to note in our wide awake and prospering contemporary.

The Trinidad Daily Times commenced this morning to take regular association press report. This is a considerable undertaking, but it makes a newspaper. We wish the Times success and it will get there. Enterprise always tells.

Number six of the Miner and Manufacturer, of Albuquerque, is at hand. It is an interesting number, replete with information in reference to Albuquerque and the Territory. It will be published hereafter in magazine form.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar O'Connell gave a very pleasant party to their many friends last night. Those present, about eighteen couples, had a delightful time and did good work in getting away with the refreshments served. The leading amusement of the evening was dancing.

W. H. Shupp, the enterprising West Side manufacturer, has ordered a whole car load of buggies, carriages, etc., from Columbus, Ohio. Rollings stock will then be a little more plentiful.

The train from the East yesterday had three coaches, and all the cars were well filled with passengers.

Letter List.

The following is the list of letters remaining uncollected for in the Las Vegas, N. M., Post Office for the week ending Nov. 26, 1881. Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised."

J. N. FURLONG, P. M.
Adams A
Angel Juanita
Angel—
Armstrong B F
Aubrey A
Belmont James
Bell J P
Banks Mattie
Bacon A G
Barratt Jacob
Bartley Wm
Balades Antonio
Carguery E
Cornell J H
Colony J W
Casimiro A D
Davis Geo B
Ellis L B
Gray E C
Gurrard Thos W
Huffer Wm F
Howard Dr Sam
Howell Harry J
Kedger A
Harris W
Harris Joseph
Harris Simon

Special Announcement.

Hopper Bros. have stocked up heavily, more complete now than ever. They have three ware-rooms full of goods besides their sale room. They are now prepared to sell any quantity of goods in lots to suit purchasers at the most reasonable figures. They would respectfully ask purchasers to visit their store, get their prices and examine their goods. They will not go away disappointed or dissatisfied. They have the goods and are bound to sell them. 11-30-3

Fine Merino Rams.

W. J. Colvin the breeder and shipper of fine merino rams, of Larned, Kansas, has arrived with forty full blood merino rams which he has on exhibition and for sale at the Exchange corral. He also has a lot of horses and mules. Sheep breeders and stock men are invited to call and inspect this stock. 2-12-1

C. R. BROWNING, EDWARD HENRY, C. F. ALLEN

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—OF—

C. R. BROWNING

Old and Reliable!

Established in 1879.

Office—Lincoln Street, near Grand Avenue

Unimproved lots and property for sale in all parts of the city, at prices from \$50 to \$1,000.

Improved Business and Residence property at prices from \$450 to \$30,000.

Property in Las Vegas Town Company's Lands.

Property in Rosenwald's Addition.

Property in Rosenwald & Co.'s Addition.

Property in Blanchard & Co.'s Addition.

Property in San Miguel Town Site Co.'s Addition.

Property in Raynold's Addition.

Property in Las Vegas Hill Site Co.'s Addition.

Property in Buena Vista Addition.

Embracing Property in the following Blocks:

"A" 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 16, 17, 19, 22, 24, 26, 29, 30, 31, 40, and elsewhere.

Property in both East and West Las Vegas.

Ranch Property in San Miguel and other counties.

Stores and Houses to Rent.

Also a good, well established and paying Business in Las Vegas for sale.

Call and examine for particulars and prices.

Office open from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.

HOT ROLLS

AND

CREAM BREAD

French Bread,

Graham Bread,

Rye Bread,

MORNING EVENING

AND

BELL & CO.

—AT—

PLAZA GROCERS

Also can always be obtained from our delivery wagon, which makes two trips a day in all parts of both towns.

P. COGHILLAN BOOTS AND SHOES

Has Opened the Largest and Best Assorted Stock of

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, EVER BROUGHT TO NEW MEXICO.

L. L. HOWISON, Manager

The Attention of Dealers is Called to this Stock. Work Done to Order. RAILROAD AVE., EAST LAS VEGAS.

A GRAND OPENING

—AT—

PAYNE & BARTLETT'S

—ON—

DECEMBER FIRST

MAGNIFICENT

Display of Fine Jewelry

LARGEST

AND MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF

MEN'S

Furnishing Goods



HATS & CAPS

Ever brought to this Territory at

Chas. W. Danver's

SIXTH STREET,

Opposite San Miguel National Bank,

East Las Vegas

JONES & CO.

Have just opened a Large and Complete

Stock of Staple and Fancy

GROCERIES

AND FINE

TOBACCOS & CIGARS

Everything New and Fresh and sold at

"Bed Rock Prices"

Second Door East of Bank Building, on

BRIDGE ST., LAS VEGAS

WORTH \$50.

Every five dollars worth of goods purchased at Jaffa Bros. from December 3rd entitles the purchaser to a ticket for a chance in a nice ladies' fur set, mink, worth \$50. To be drawn December 24th. Jaffa Bros.

Christmas Presents.

Beautiful Sherwood wire card baskets, fruit dishes, cake stands, castors, etc., most suitable for Christmas presents, at Marwede, Brumley & Co's.

To My Friends.

I am pleased to announce that I have obtained a situation in the store of C. E. Wesche, where I will be pleased to meet my many friends in Las Vegas and vicinity, and assure them that they will receive the best of attention if they will call. PILAR ABETTA. 11-29-1w.

The Largest Clothing House

IN THE TERRITORY.

SELLING AT THE LOWEST PRICES AND KEEPING THE

FINEST ASSORTMENT

—IS THE—

Boston Clothing House

WE RECOGNIZE

NO COMPETITION

AND PROPOSE TO LEAD THE SEASON IN

LOW PRICES

SEEING IS BELIEVING!

COHN & BLOCH

RAILROAD AVENUE.

LOCKHART & CO.

Las Vegas, New Mexico.

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

HARDWARE

QUEENSWARE,

STOVES & FURNITURE

Keep the largest stock of Lumber, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Paints, Oils and Glass in the Territory.

Notice to Delinquents.

Those parties who have failed to pay their taxes are hereby warned that, unless the same are paid by the first day of January, 1882 their names as delinquents will be handed to the attorney general of the Territory, who will then at once proceed according to law. This is the last notice that will be given from this office, and should be heeded.

HILARIO ROMERO.

Sheriff San Miguel County, N. M.

Las Vegas, Nov. 15th. 11-20-2w.

Novelties in cloaks, dolmans, jackets and ulsters at Stern's.

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves!

Three hundred in stock and 300 on the road of the celebrated Wm. Besor & Co., cook and heating stoves. Come and give us a call. MARWEDE, BRUMLEY & Co. 11-19-1mt.

Six varieties new figs at Cooper's candy factory. 26-1w.

Sutlin's addition.

Fine Merino Rams.

W. J. Colvin, the breeder and shipper of fine Merino rams, of Larned, Kansas, will arrive here in a few days with a lot of horses, mules and forty full blood Merino rams, and will stop here for some days. Those desiring to purchase will find this a splendid opportunity. 11-26-1t

THOMAS H. CONKLIN

THE PIONEER

Real Estate and Insurance Agent

—AT—

EL PASO, TEXAS

Office in Stanton's Building, first floor, San Antonio Street. Capitalists, Speculators, do not fail to visit El Paso, inevitably the future great city of the West, see its improvements, its railroads, prosperity of its business men, the rich valley and surrounding it, its great natural advantages and prospective relations to Mexico, and judge the situation and its prospects for yourselves. Call at my office for any information you desire, or to buy property of any description.

Boots & shoes, the largest and most complete stock in the Territory. You are bound to find what you want at eastern prices city Shoe Store. Try "Billy's Ponies" Cigars, pure Havana.

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We have just opened a Merchant Tailoring establishment and are prepared to put up suits in the latest style. Cleaning and repairing a specialty. Work done at short notice. Call and see us. Opposite Lockhart's Block. EAST LAS VEGAS, - - NEW MEXICO